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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Mark W. Paulson
SER. NO.: 10/037,113
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(PATENT APPLICATION--37 C.F.R. § 1.192)

1. Transmittal herewith, in triplicate, is the APPEAL BRIEF in this application, with respect to the Notice of Appeal filed on June 30, 2003.

2. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of

☐ other than a small entity.

☒ a small entity.

A statement:

☐ is attached.

☒ was already filed.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a) and 1.10

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(c), the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | small entity | \$165.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | other than a small entity | \$330.00 |

Appeal Brief fee due \$165.00

4. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other <u>than small</u> <u>entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
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Fee: \$210.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

- ☐ An extension for ____ months has already been secured, and the fee paid therefor of \$____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

(b) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

5. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Appeal brief fee \$165.00

Extension fee (if any) \$210.00

TOTAL FEE DUE \$375.00

6. FEE PAYMENT

- ☒ Attached is a check in the sum of \$375.00.
☐ Charge Account No. 26-0084 the sum of \$_____.

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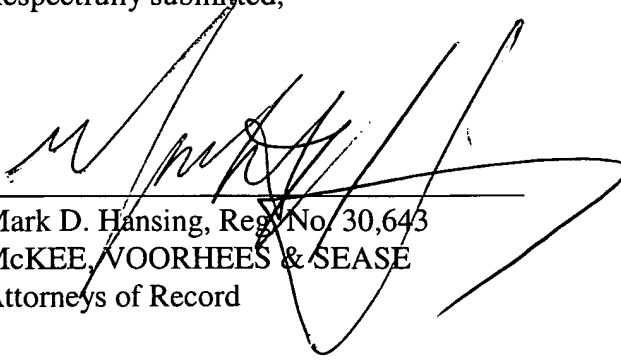
7. FEE DEFICIENCY

- ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, this is a request therefor and to charge Account No. 26-0084.

AND/OR

- ☒ If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 26-0084.

Respectfully submitted,



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